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CORRECTION OF SMALL ENTITY STATUS and ITEMIZATION OF DEFICIENCY PAYMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.28 (c)

Sir:

Although small entity status was established in good faith and fees for the small entity were paid in good faith for the above-identified application and patent, it has been discovered that such status as a small entity was established in error. The required itemization of deficiency payment is as follows:

Type of Fee	Amount Paid	Date Paid	Current Non-Small Entity Fee	Deficiency Owed
Maintenance Fee 3.5 Years	\$ 450	08/01/2006	\$980	\$ 530
TOTAL				\$ 530

The amount of the deficiency payment is submitted herewith in the form of Check made payable to the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks.

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